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sample 1 : $N_d = 5 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$ Assample 2 : $N_a = 2 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$ Bsample 3 : $N_d = 5 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$ As
 $N_a = 2 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$ Ba) Find n_i in each sample

1. $n_0 \approx N_d = 5 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$

$$p_0 = n_i^2 / n_0 = (1.5 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm}^{-3})^2 / 5 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3} = 4.5 \times 10^3 \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

2. $p_0 \approx N_a = 2 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$

$$n_0 = n_i^2 / p_0 = (1.5 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm}^{-3})^2 / 2 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3} = 1.13 \times 10^4 \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

3. Since $N_d - N_a = 3 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3} \gg n_i$

$$n_0 \approx N_d - N_a = 3 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$p_0 = n_i^2 / n_0 = (1.5 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm}^{-3})^2 / (3 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}) = 7.5 \times 10^3 \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

b) Determine majority carrier mobility

From Fig 5.3 : 1. $\mu_n \approx 1100 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V}\cdot\text{s}$ 2. $\mu_p \approx 400 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V}\cdot\text{s}$ 3. $\mu_n \approx 1000 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V}\cdot\text{s}$

c) $\sigma = e(\mu_n n + \mu_p p)$

1. $\sigma \approx e \mu_n n = (1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(1100 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V}\cdot\text{s})(5 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}) = 8.8 [\Omega\text{-cm}]^{-1}$

2. $\sigma \approx e \mu_p p = (1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(400 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V}\cdot\text{s})(2 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}) = 1.28 [\Omega\text{-cm}]^{-1}$

3. $\sigma \approx e \mu_n n = (1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(1000 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V}\cdot\text{s})(3 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}) = 4.8 [\Omega\text{-cm}]^{-1}$

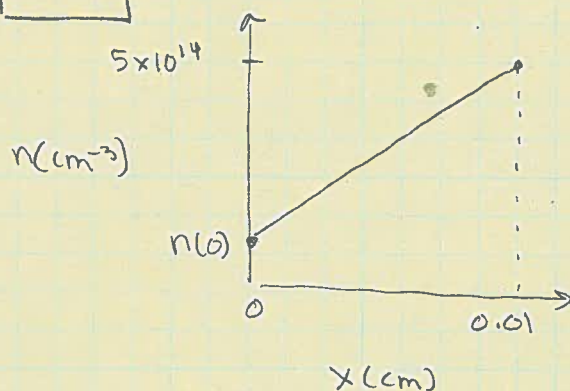
d) $J_{\text{eff}} = e(\mu_n n + \mu_p p)E = (\sigma_n + \sigma_p)E$

1. $E = \frac{J_{\text{eff}}}{\sigma_n} = \frac{120 \text{ A/cm}^2}{8.8 [\Omega\text{-cm}]^{-1}} = 13.64 \text{ V/cm}$

$$2. E = \frac{J_{drf}}{\rho_p} = \frac{120 \text{ A/cm}^2}{1.28 [\Omega\text{-cm}]} = 93.75 \text{ V/cm}$$

$$3. E = \frac{J_{drf}}{\rho_n} = \frac{120 \text{ A/cm}^2}{4.8 [\Omega\text{-cm}]} = 25.0 \text{ V/cm}$$

5.29 Si @ $T = 300 \text{ K}$



$$J_{n \text{ diff}} = 0.19 \text{ A/cm}^2$$

$$D_n = 25 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}$$

What is $n(0)$?

$$J_{n \text{ diff}} = e D_n \frac{dn}{dx} \approx e D_n \frac{\Delta n}{\Delta x} = \frac{e D_n (5 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3} - n(0))}{\Delta x}$$

$$n(0) \approx 5 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3} - \frac{J_{n \text{ diff}} \cdot \Delta x}{e D_n}$$

$$= 5 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3} - \frac{(0.19 \text{ A/cm}^2)(0.01 \text{ cm})}{(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(25 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s})} = 2.5 \times 10^{13} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

5.35 Si @ $T = 300 \text{ K}$

$$n(x) = 10^{16} \exp\left[-\frac{x}{18}\right] \text{ [cm}^{-3}\text{]}$$

x is in μm

$$0 \leq x \leq 25 \mu\text{m}$$

$$D_n = 25 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}$$

$$\mu_n = 960 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V}\cdot\text{s}$$

$J_n = -40 \text{ A/cm}^2$ total electron current density (drift + diff)

$$J_n = e n \mu_n E + e D_n \frac{dn}{dx} = -40 \text{ A/cm}^2$$

$$\frac{dn}{dx} = -10^{16} [\text{cm}^{-3}] \exp\left[-\frac{x}{18}\right] \cdot \frac{1}{18 [\mu\text{m}]}$$

$$J_n = e n \mu_n E - \frac{e D_n 10^{16} [\text{cm}^{-3}]}{18 [\mu\text{m}]} \exp\left[-\frac{x}{18}\right] = -40 \text{ A/cm}^2$$

$$\text{so } E = -40 \text{ A/cm}^2 + \frac{e D_n 10^{16} [\text{cm}^{-3}]}{18 [\mu\text{m}]} \exp\left[-\frac{x}{18}\right]$$

$$e \mu_n 10^{16} \exp\left[-\frac{x}{18}\right]$$

$$E = -40 \text{ A/cm}^2 + \frac{0.04 \text{ A/cm}}{18 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}} \exp\left[-\frac{x}{18}\right]$$

$$1.536 \frac{\text{C} \cdot \text{cm}^2}{\text{V} \cdot \text{s}} \cdot \frac{1}{\text{cm}^2} \exp\left[-\frac{x}{18}\right]$$

$$E(x) = 22.22 \text{ A/cm}^2 \exp\left[-\frac{x}{18}\right] - 40 \text{ A/cm}^2$$

$$1.536 \frac{\text{A}}{\text{V} \cdot \text{cm}} \exp\left[-\frac{x}{18}\right]$$

$$E(x) = 14.47 - 26.04 \exp\left[\frac{x}{18}\right] \quad [\text{V/cm}]$$

5.36

$$J = -10 \text{ A/cm}^2 \rightarrow \begin{matrix} \text{hole} & \text{electron} \\ \text{drift} & + \text{diffusion} \end{matrix}$$

$$p_0 = 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$n(x) = 2 \times 10^{15} e^{-x/L} \text{ cm}^{-3}, \quad L = 15 \mu\text{m}$$

$$D_n = 27 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}, \quad \mu_p = 420 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V} \cdot \text{s}$$

a) Find $J_{n\text{diff}}$ for $x > 0$

$$J_{n\text{diff}} = e D_n \frac{dn}{dx} = -\frac{e D_n (2 \times 10^{15})}{L (\mu\text{m})} e^{-x/L}$$

$$= -\frac{(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(27 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s})(2 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3})}{(15 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm})} e^{-x/L}$$

$$J_{n\text{diff}} = -5.76 e^{-x/15 \mu\text{m}} \quad [\text{A/cm}^2]$$

$$b) J_{p\text{drift}} = e \mu_p p E = (1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(420 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V} \cdot \text{s})(10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}) E$$

$$J_{p\text{drift}} = 0.672 E$$

$$c) J_{\text{TOT}} = J_{n\text{diff}} + J_{p\text{drift}}$$

$$-10 \text{ A/cm}^2 = -5.76 e^{-x/15 \mu\text{m}} + 0.672 E$$

$$-56 \quad E = \frac{5.76 e^{-x/15 \mu m} - 10}{0.672}$$

$$E(x) = 8.57 e^{-x/15} - 14.9 \quad [V/cm]$$

5.40 n-type $T = 300K$ $F = 0$

$$N_d(x) = N_{d0} e^{-x/L} \quad \text{From } 0 \leq x \leq L$$

$$N_{d0} = 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$L = 10 \mu m$$

a) What is $E(x)$? For no current, drift must equal diffusion

$$\text{so } en\mu_n E_x = -eD_n \frac{dn}{dx}$$

$$nE_x = \frac{D_n}{\mu_n} \frac{dn}{dx} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{D_n}{\mu_n} = \frac{kT}{e}$$

$$\text{so } E_x = -\frac{kT}{e} \frac{1}{n} \frac{dn}{dx}$$

$$E_x = -\frac{kT}{e} \frac{1}{N_{d0}} e^{x/L} \cdot \left(-\frac{N_{d0}}{L} e^{-x/L} \right) = \frac{kT}{e} \cdot \frac{1}{L}$$

$$E_x = (0.0259V) \cdot \frac{1}{10 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}} = \boxed{25.9 \text{ V/cm}}$$

b) Calculate potential difference between $x=0$ and $x=L$
↑ ↑
higher lower

$$\phi = - \int_0^L E(x) dx = -EL - E \cdot 0$$

$$= -EL = (-25.9 \text{ V/cm})(10 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}) = \boxed{-0.0259 \text{ V}}$$

5.45

$$T = 300 \text{ K}$$

a) $\mu_n = 1150 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V}\cdot\text{s}$

$$\mu_n = 6200 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V}\cdot\text{s}$$

use Einstein relation $\frac{D_n}{\mu_n} = \frac{kT}{e} \Rightarrow D_n = \mu_n \frac{kT}{e}$

(i) $D_n = (1150 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V}\cdot\text{s})(0.0259 \text{ V}) = \boxed{29.8 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}}$

(ii) $D_n = (6200 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V}\cdot\text{s})(0.0259 \text{ V}) = \boxed{160.6 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}}$

b) (i) $D_p = 8 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s} \Rightarrow \mu_p = \frac{D_p}{(kT/e)} = \frac{8 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}}{0.0259 \text{ V}} = \boxed{308.9 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V}\cdot\text{s}}$

(ii) $D_p = 35 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s} \Rightarrow \mu_p = \frac{35 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}}{0.0259 \text{ V}} = \boxed{1351.4 \text{ cm}^2/\text{V}\cdot\text{s}}$

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Si pn junction $N_a = 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}$, $N_d = 5 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}$

$$T = 300 \text{ K}$$

a) Find $E_F - E_{Fi}$ on both sides of junction

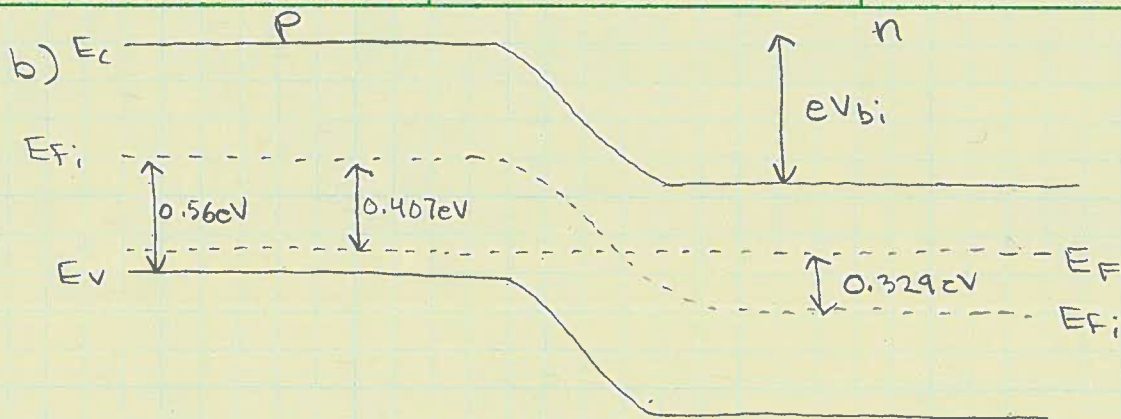
$$n_0 = n_i \exp\left[\frac{E_F - E_{Fi}}{kT}\right] \Rightarrow E_F - E_{Fi} = kT \ln\left(\frac{n_0}{n_i}\right)$$

assuming 100% ionization $E_F - E_{Fi} = kT \ln\left(\frac{N_d}{n_i}\right)$

$$\text{so } E_F - E_{Fi} = (0.0259 \text{ eV}) \ln\left(\frac{5 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}}{1.5 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm}^{-3}}\right) = \boxed{0.329 \text{ eV}}$$

For p-side $E_F - E_{Fi} = -kT \ln\left(\frac{N_a}{n_i}\right)$

$$E_F - E_{Fi} = -(0.0259 \text{ eV}) \ln\left(\frac{10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}}{1.5 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm}^{-3}}\right) = \boxed{-0.407 \text{ eV}}$$



$$eV_{bi} = (E_{Fi} - E_v)_p + (E_F - E_{Fi})_n$$

$$\text{so } eV_{bi} = 0.407 \text{ eV} + 0.329 \text{ eV} = 0.736 \text{ eV}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{V_{bi} = 0.736 \text{ V}}$$

$$c) N_{bi} = \frac{kT}{e} \ln \left(\frac{N_d \cdot N_a}{n_i^2} \right)$$

$$= (0.0259 \text{ V}) \ln \left(\frac{(5 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3})(1 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3})}{(1.5 \times 10^{10})^2} \right) = \boxed{0.736 \text{ V}}$$

same as
part (b)

d) Find x_n , x_p , and $|E_{max}|$

$$x_n = \left\{ \frac{2 \epsilon_s V_{bi}}{e} \left[\frac{N_a}{N_d} \right] \left[\frac{1}{N_a + N_d} \right] \right\}^{1/2}$$

$$x_n = \left\{ \frac{2(11.7)(8.85 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F/cm})(0.736 \text{ V})}{(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})} \frac{1 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}}{5 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}} \frac{1}{(1 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3} + 5 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3})} \right\}^{1/2}$$

$$= 4.26 \times 10^{-5} \text{ cm} = \boxed{0.426 \mu\text{m}}$$

$$\text{For } x_p: N_a x_p = N_d x_n \Rightarrow x_p = \frac{(5 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3})(0.426 \mu\text{m})}{(1 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3})}$$

$$\boxed{x_p = 0.0213 \mu\text{m}}$$

$$|E_{\max}| = \left| -\frac{eNd}{\epsilon_s} x_n \right|$$

$$= \frac{(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(5 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3})(0.426 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm})}{(11.7)(8.85 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F/cm})}$$

$$|E_{\max}| = 3.29 \times 10^4 \text{ V/cm}$$

7.8 (a) si pn junction $T = 300 \text{ K}$

at $V = 0$, 25% of space charge is in the n-region

$$V_{bi} = 0.710 \text{ V}$$

$$(i) N_A? \quad x_n = 0.25 W \quad x_p = 0.75 W$$

$$\Rightarrow x_n = \frac{0.25}{0.75} x_p$$

$$\text{so } N_d x_n = \frac{N_d x_p}{3} = N_A x_p$$

$$\Rightarrow N_d = 3 N_A$$

$$\text{so } V_{bi} = \frac{kT}{e} \ln \left(\frac{N_A N_d}{n_i^2} \right) = \frac{kT}{e} \ln \left(\frac{3 N_A^2}{n_i^2} \right) = \frac{2kT}{e} \ln \left(\frac{\sqrt{3} N_A}{n_i} \right)$$

$$N_A = \frac{n_i}{\sqrt{3}} \exp \left[\frac{V_{bi}}{(2kT/e)} \right] = \frac{1.5 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm}^{-3}}{\sqrt{3}} \exp \left[\frac{0.710 \text{ V}}{2(0.0259 \text{ V})} \right]$$

$$N_A = 7.77 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

(ii)

$$N_d = 3 N_A = 2.33 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

(iii)

$$x_n = \left\{ \frac{2(11.7)(8.85 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F/cm})}{1.6 \times 10^{-19}} \left[\frac{1}{3} \right] \left[\frac{1}{7.77 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3} + 2.33 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}} \right] \right\}^{1/2}$$

$$x_n = 0.0993 \mu\text{m}$$

(iv)

$$\text{so } x_p = x_n \frac{N_d}{N_A} = x_n \cdot 3 = 0.298 \mu\text{m}$$

$$(v) |E_{max}| = \frac{eNd x_n}{\epsilon_s}$$

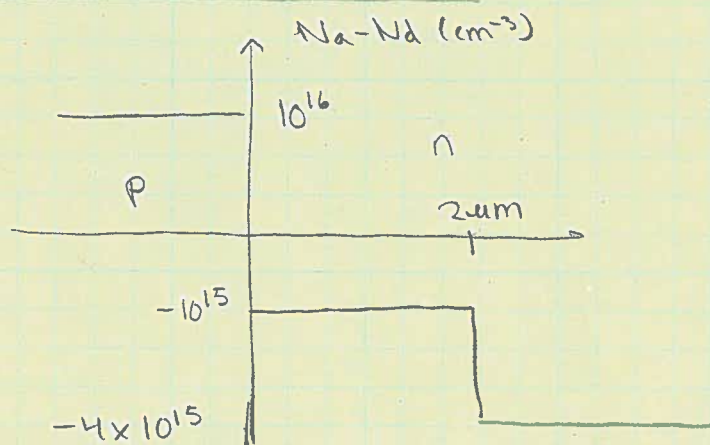
$$= \frac{(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(2.33 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3})(0.0993 \mu\text{m})}{(11.7)(8.85 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F/cm})} = 3.58 \times 10^4 \text{ V/cm}$$

(b) Same as part (a) but use $n_i = 1.4 \times 10^6 \text{ cm}^{-3}$

Process is same as (a)

- (i) $N_a = 8.13 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}$
- (ii) $N_d = 2.44 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$
- (iii) $x_n = 0.1324 \mu\text{m}$
- (iv) $x_p = 0.397 \mu\text{m}$
- (v) $|E_{max}| = 4.45 \times 10^4 \text{ V/cm}$

7.9



Silicon

assume $T = 300\text{K}$

* assume $x_n < 2 \mu\text{m} \Rightarrow V_{bi}$ is same as normal step junction

$$a) V_{bi} = \frac{kT}{e} \ln \left(\frac{N_d N_a}{n_i^2} \right) = 0.0259 \text{ V} \ln \left(\frac{10^{15} \cdot 10^{16}}{(1.5 \times 10^{10})^2} \right) = 0.635 \text{ V}$$

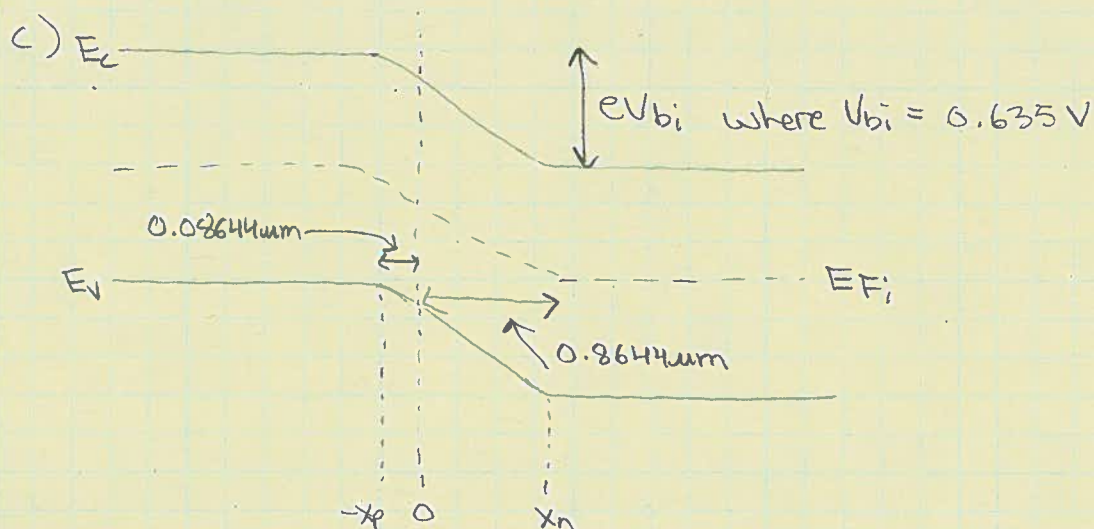
$$b) x_n = \left\{ \frac{2 \epsilon_s V_{bi}}{e} \left[\frac{N_a}{N_d} \right] \left[\frac{1}{N_a + N_d} \right] \right\}^{1/2}$$

$$x_n = \left\{ \frac{(2)(11.7)(8.85 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F/cm})(0.635 \text{ V})}{(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})} \left[\frac{1 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}}{1 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}} \right] \left[\frac{1}{1 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3} + 1 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}} \right] \right\}^{1/2}$$

$$x_n = 0.8644 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm} = 0.8644 \mu\text{m}$$

$$N_d x_n = N_a x_p \Rightarrow x_p = \frac{N_d}{N_a} x_n$$

$$x_p = \frac{(1 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3})}{(1 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3})} (0.8644 \mu\text{m}) = 0.08644 \mu\text{m}$$



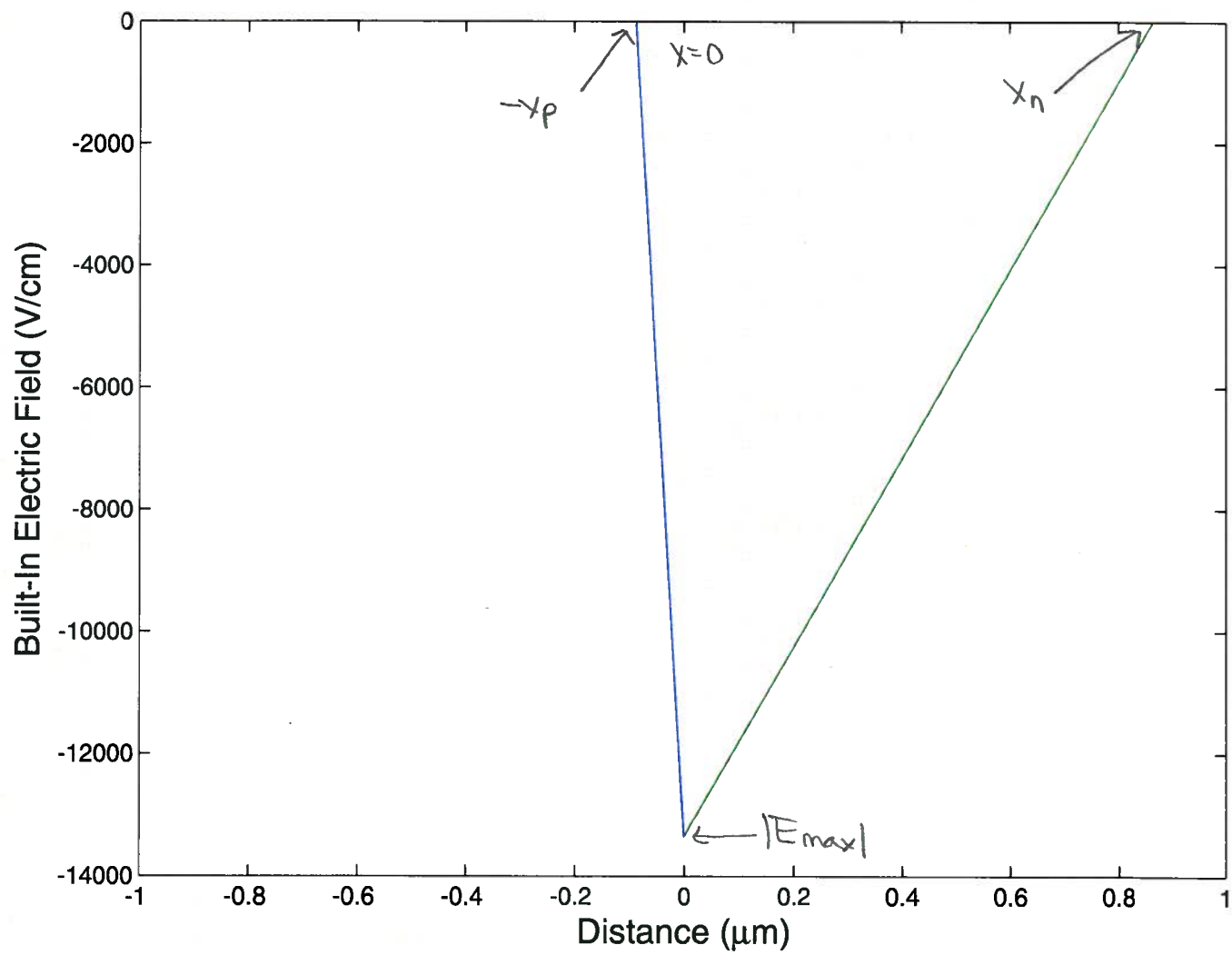
d) Find $|E_{\max}|$. $|E_{\max}| = \frac{e N_d x_n}{\epsilon_s}$

$$|E_{\max}| = \frac{(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3})(0.8644 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm})}{(11.7)(8.85 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F/cm})} = 1.34 \times 10^4 \text{ V/cm}$$

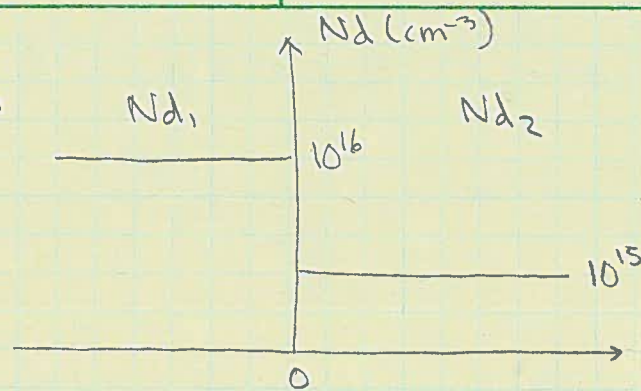
on the p-side: $E_p(x) = \frac{-e N_a}{\epsilon_s} (x + x_p)$ From $-x_p \leq x \leq 0$

on the n-side: $E_n(x) = \frac{-e N_d}{\epsilon_s} (x_n - x)$ From $0 \leq x \leq x_n$

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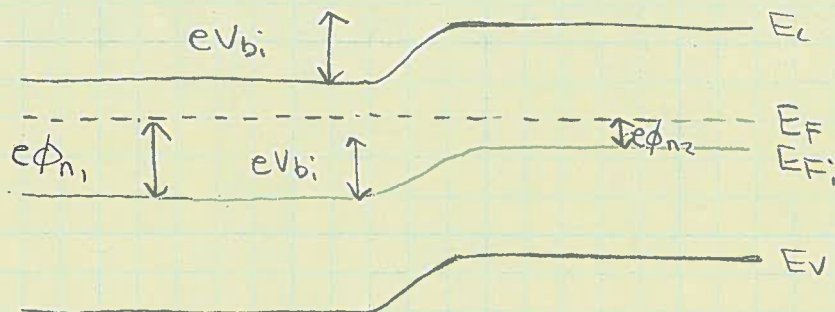


7.12



* assume the material is silicon

(a) Fermi level is constant



$$e\phi_{n1} = (E_F - E_{Fi})_1 \quad \phi_{n2} = (E_F - E_{Fi})_2$$

$$eV_{bi} = \phi_{n1} - \phi_{n2}$$

For n-type: $n_0 \approx N_d = n_i \exp\left[\frac{E_F - E_{Fi}}{kT}\right]$

$$\Rightarrow E_F - E_{Fi} = kT \ln\left(\frac{N_d}{n_i}\right)$$

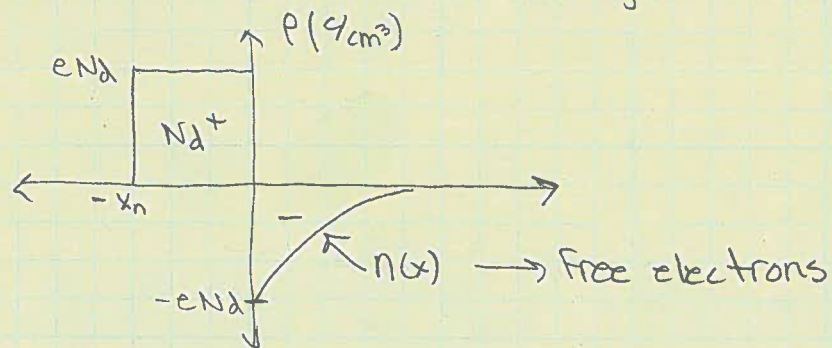
For N_{d1} : $(E_F - E_{Fi})_1 = 0.0259 \text{ eV} \ln\left(\frac{10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}}{1.5 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm}^{-3}}\right) = 0.3473 \text{ eV}$

For N_{d2} : $(E_F - E_{Fi})_2 = 0.0259 \text{ eV} \ln\left(\frac{10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}}{1.5 \times 10^{10} \text{ cm}^{-3}}\right) = 0.2877 \text{ eV}$

so $eV_{bi} = 0.3473 \text{ eV} - 0.2877 \text{ eV} = 0.0596 \text{ eV}$

$$\Rightarrow V_{bi} = 0.0596 \text{ V}$$

- c) Electrons will diffuse from the side with higher doping to the side with lower doping. A depletion region will be left on the highly doped side and free electrons will diffuse to the lightly doped side. This occurs since the Fermi level must be constant throughout the junction.



$E \longrightarrow$ Electric Field still sets up to balance the diffusion

$$\rho(x) = \begin{cases} eN_d & -x_n \leq x \leq 0 \\ -en(x) & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$